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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: SHIROISHI et al
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Examiner: T. Chen

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application, in response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005. The amendments are listed below and set forth on the following pages.

Amendments to the Specification

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.